

PURCHASING AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

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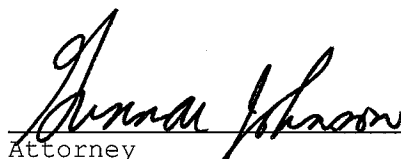
RESOLUTION ISSUING AN ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE, ON SALE SUNDAY LICENSE, DANCING LICENSE, AND APPROVING ISSUANCE OF A 2:00 A.M. BEVERAGE LICENSE TO FLAME NIGHTCLUB, INC. (FLAME NIGHTCLUB), 28 NORTH FIRST AVENUE WEST.

CITY PROPOSAL:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the city council of the city of Duluth hereby issues the following on sale intoxicating liquor license, on sale Sunday license, dancing license, and approves issuance of a 2:00 a.m. beverage license for the period ending August 31, 2012, subject to departmental approvals and the payment of sales and property taxes:

Flame Nightclub, Inc. (Flame Nightclub), 28 North First Avenue West, (second floor), with Vince Nelson

Approved as to form:


Attorney

CLERK JJC:mao 5/2/2012

Alcohol, Gambling and Tobacco Commission discussion: 5/2/12 Vince Nelson was present on behalf of the application. Mr. Nelson explained that he currently operates a bar/restaurant in Superior and is hoping to open a similar establishment in downtown Duluth. He continued saying he is remodeling a 6,000 square foot building and will have a limited food menu along with alcoholic beverages and dancing. To questioning from the commission, Mr. Nelson replied that he has trained his staff in Superior and will be requiring the same training program for his new employees in Duluth. He further stated that he has talked with Officer Vang about his security plan and has received approval from the police department. Officer Vang stated he has approved the security plan and has approved this application. There being no further discussion, Mr. Hickok moved that THE APPLICATION OF FLAME NIGHTCLUB, INC. (FLAME NIGHTCLUB), 28. 1ST AVENUE WEST, FOR AN ON SALE INTOXICATING LIQUOR LICENSE, (OLD) ON SALE SUNDAY LICENSE AND ON SALE DANCING LICENSE FOR THE PERIOD ENDING AUGUST 31, 2012, WITH VINCE NELSON, 100% OWNER, BE APPROVED, AND THE SAME BE RECOMMENDED TO THE CITY COUNCIL FOR APPROVAL. Mr. Birchland seconded the motion, and it was unanimously approved.